PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:		**Group Art Unit:**	2627
James Roy Easter et al.			
Serial No.:	10/678,959	**Examiner:**	Pendleton, Dionne
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Confirmation No.:	7285		
Title:	RETENTION APPARATUS FOR EXTERNAL PORTION OF A SEMI-IMPLANTABLE HEARING AID		

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing with the above-identified application are nine replacement sheets of formal, inked drawings illustrating Figs. 1-9 of the application. Figs. 1-9 constitute all of the drawings in the application.

Although the Applicant believes that no fees are due for filing this Submission of Formal Drawings, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 50-1419.

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